#### 2.03 lakh children immunised in Jhenidah

From Our Correspondent JHENIDAH, Apr 22: Some 2.03,900 children under five years of age were given polio vaccines in six thanas of the district on April 16 under the programme for eradicating poho from the country by the year 2000

According to district civil surgeon office sources, a total of 47.428 children were given polio vaccines in Jhenidah sadar thana, 38,179 children in Sailkupa thana, 19,775 children in Harinakundu thana, 35,271 children in Kaliganj thana, 18,665 children in Kotchandpur thana and 44,582 children were given polio vaccines in Mohespur thana of the district on the first day of immunisation.

According to sources, district health department took a target to give polio vaccines to 1.96.446 children through their 1.810 vaccination centres. But the number increased to 2,03,900 as awareness developed among the people.

Authorities informed that to make the programme a success, they arranged massive campaigns and opened some mobile vaccination centres.

#### 400 cattle stolen in two months. in Kishoreganj

KISHOREGANJ, Apr 22: Cultivation throughout the district has been adversely affected due to rampant cattle lifting by an organised gang. farmers said, reports UNB.

At least 400 cattlehead were stolen from Nikli, Katiadi, Karimganj, Pakundia, Hossainpur and Sadar thanas over last two months, local people said. They said farmers were staying in the cowsheds at night to protect their bullocks and cows from the cattle-lifters.

The cattle-lifters in some places brutally peel skins · of the stolen cows. Local people suspected that the cattlelifters were the members of an organised gang.

Extension Department.

Name of Work

1995-96.

Deep Tubewell and

Construction of Pump

Compound of Divisional

Headquarters of Boyra,

Khulna during the year

House within

No.

## Frequent load-shedding in Sylhet

SYLHET. Apr 22: Frequent power failure has made the life of the people of Sylhet division miserable during the last few

Severe heatwave prevailing in all the four districts of the region has also attributed much to the situation. The maximum temperature in the divisional headquarters was 31.6 degree Celsius on Sunday. It was 34.2 degree Celsius on Saturday in Sylhet town, said the weather office, adding the heatwave would continue for a few days more.

The load-shedding has hit hard the students, especially the SSC examinees. Besides, the small and big industries are also suffering much due to irregular power supply throughout the division.

MAGURA, Apr 22: Increas-

According to the reports,

Agriculture Extension Depart-

ment (AED). Magura, has been

taking programmes for Sun-

flower cultivation in four

thanas including Magura sadar,

Sripur, Shalikha and Muhm-

madpur of the district for

some years. As a result, Sun-

flower cultivation is gaining

popularity in the district grad-

village Tupipara under

Khamarpara union in Sripur

thana, told this correspondent

that he has cultivated sun-

flower in 4 decimals of land

under supervision of Sripur

thana Agriculture Extension

Department (AED). AED sup-

plied him .250 kg sunflower

seeds of "Kiron" variety. They

also supplied 4 kg urea. 4 kg

TSP, 3 kg potas, 3 kg sulphur,

zinc, boric acid, and other in-

Md Naoser Ali also culti-

vated sunflower last year. He

said that AED authorities moti-

vated farmers to cultivate sun-

MAGURA: A model demonstration plot of sunflower plants under Sripur Agriculture

Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh

Office of the Executive Engineer

Khulna PWD Division-1

Khulna

PWD Notice Inviting Tenders (3rd Call)

Tender Notice No. 18(C) of 1995-96

enlisted Special Class-1/Class-1, Sanitary and Pumbing Contractors of PWD, and

eligible category of PHE Department and BADC, for the undermentioned works and

will be received by the undersigned and the Executive Engineer, PWD Division No. II,

Khulna/Bagerhat/Satkhira in their respective offices under Khulna PWD Circle,

Khulna up to 12.00 Noon of 07.5.96 and will be opened on the same day at 12.15 PM in

presence of the contractors (who may like to remain present). Each tender shall be in a

Detailed contract documents consisting of Bangladesh Form No. 2911, schedule of

items, specifications, additional terms and conditions etc. can be seen and

obtained from the office of the undersigned and the Executive Engineer, PWD

Division No. II, Khulna/Bagerhat/Satkhira during office hours on payment of

usual charges (Non-refundable). The tender form may be purchased by the

contractor by showing Registration Book himself or his representative on

production of authorisation letter bearing the signature of the representative

duly attested by the contractor at any working days during office hours up to

At the time of purchasing tender, contractors are to show the original VAT

certificates obtained from National Board of Revenue (Custom and Excise) and

attested copy of VAT certificate will have to be furnished along with the tender

If rate is sound same in more than one valid lowest tenderer for the above

mentioned work then contractor will be selected through lottery to be held in the

Those who have got experience for sinking of 3", 4" and 6" Deep Tubewell can

only purchase the tender documents on production of original certificate issued

by the concerned Executive Engineer or equivalent officer. Attested copy of this

certificate will have to be submitted along with tender documents, otherwise

এই কাজের জন্য ২য় আহবানে গ্রহণকৃত দর্রপত্র বলবত থাকিবে। ইহার জন্য উক্ত ঠিকাদারের দরপত্র দাখিলের

প্রয়োজন নাই। তবে তীহার/তাহাদের উদ্ধৃত দরের চেয়ে কম দরে কাজ করিতে ইচ্ছুক হইলে সেক্ষেত্রে নৃতন

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Tk. 28,613/-

sealed cover with the name of work superscribed on it.

Installation of 150 mm dia Tk. 14,30,624/-

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1. Sealed tenders in Bangladesh Form No. 2911 are hereby invited from the

puts, he said.

Md Naoser Ali, a farmer at

ing number of people are

showing interest in Sunflower

cultivation in Magura district.

day. However, the total demand of electricity in the four districts of Sylhet division stands at 80 to 100 megawatt.

The source further said that load-shedding is taking place in the Sylhet division for the last few days, as per direction from the higher authorities, to meet the demand of the National grid.

Different local organisations and district units of political parties have organised meetings and processions to protest the frequent load shedding in greater Sylhet re-

They called upon the authorities to take effective measure to mitigate the suffer-

# exchange in Kushtia by

From Our Correspondent line digital telephoen exchange is being installed in Kushita to mitigate the sufferigns of the people who are waiting for a long time for

analgoeue telephone exchange can not cope with the growing demand for telephone connec-

the demand of the people.

Card phone users com plained that most of the times two to three card phones remain out of order. Also phone cards are not available at Head Post office, but these are available at general Shopa at higher prices due to growign demand. A section of people are taking

Card phones were introduced in Kushtia on January 27, 1993, and these have become very much popular. The people have demanded installation card phones in the Islamic University campus. Kushtia Collectorate premises. Kushtia Sugar Mills promises. and Mill Para Post office.

People of Housign Estate areas have also demanded installation of card phones in

# 10 arrested

SYLHET. Apr 22: Ten arrested young men were snatched from the police near Shahgali bazar of Jakigani thana on Saturday night. A group of policemen went to the bazar and picked up the ten young men when they were witnessing obscene films at a video library

them away.

thana on Saturday, reports

The clash oecurred after expulsion of four examinees for adopting unfair means in the examination. A group supported the decision while another opposed it.

Of the injured, five were admitted to local hospital. Meanwhile. 10 people were injured in a separate clash at RD High School centre in

Kazipur thana also centering supplying of copies in the examination hall on the same

Jativatabadi Jubo Dal and Jubo League in the district on various charges on Sunday. The arrested are: Liton, 25,

of Jubo Dal and Asgar Ali, 37. Akbar, 35, and Masud, 13, of Jubo League. The arrested were sent to

#### 2020 held, 60 arms recovered in Rajshahi in 20 days RAJSHAHI, Apr 22: Police

as part of their countrywide hunt for illegal arms recovered some 60 arms and arrested 2,020 criminals from 11 districts under Rajshahi division in last 20 days, reports UNB. The district-wise break up

of the arms and ammunition is Pabna: 16 pipe-guns, four shutter-guns, a single barrelgun and two pistols, Rajshahi: two pipe-guns, a revolver, a pistol and 15 rounds of bullets and explosives. Natore: two pistols, four pipe guns, a revolver, two cocktails and 14

Naogaon: two Chinese axes. three cocktails, 60 bombs and a knife, Chapainawabgonj: two bullets. Sirajganj: three pipe-guns, 20 cocktails and five bullets. Bogra: six revolvers, three pipe-guns, two cocktails and six bullets, Jaipurhat: three pipe guns, a pistol, 34 cock-tails and a shutter-gun.

#### 25 injured in Faridpur clash: 2 arrested

From Our Correspondent FARIDPUR, Apr 22: Twentyfive people were injured when two rival groups of youths of Alipur and Jheltuly area clashed at municipal super market in the town on Friday evening.

Following the clash. Kotwali police arrested two alleged miscreants. Anis, 15, and Liton, 16, of Alipur and recovered two sawed-off rifle and two cartridges.

During the one-hour long armed clash, several bombs were exploded and ten rounds of gun shots fired.

Police lobbed tear gas shells to bring the situation under control.

Earlier on Friday, both the groups clashed in the same place leaving 10 people in-

#### Dacoity at night coach in Gopalganj

From Our Correspondent GOPALGANJ, Apr 22: A daring dacoity was committed in a Gopalganj bound night coach at Chagolchira village on Gopalganj-Faridpur road on April 13 midnight

The dacoits looted cash Tk 2 lakh including gold ornaments and valuable goods at gun point

It is reported that a group of dacoit's with firearms were travelling in the bus in guise of passengers. When the bus reached at Chagalchira village under Muksudpur thana, the dacoits attacked the passengers and started looting.

Seven passengers were also injured by them. Three serious injured were admitted to Gopalgani Sadar Hospital.

The dacoits decamped with

A case has been registered. Meanwhile, another dacoity was committed at the village of Kharpara under Gopalgani Sadar thana on April 14 mid-

A gang of dacoits equipped with lethal weapons raided the house of Chitannga Kumar Mondal and looted cash taka. gold ornaments and other valuables worth about two lakh.

Wife of Chitannga Kumar was beaten up by the dacoits while she tried to resist them.

#### Attack on JCD leader in Mymensingh

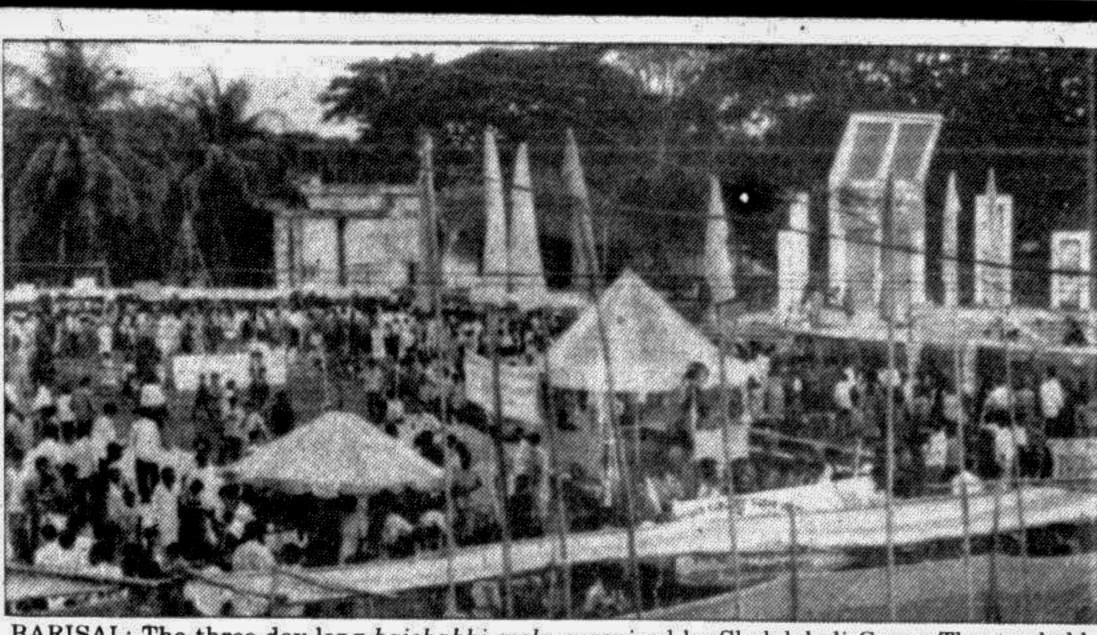
MYMENSINGH. Apr 22: Social Welfare Secretary of Bangladesh Agricultural University Central Students Union (BAUCSU) was critically injured here on Saturday following a factional feud of Jatiyatabadi Chhatra Dal, reports

Rafigul Islam Don, also a JCD leader came under attack at Kewatkhali near the varsity when he was going to campus from the town.

He was admitted to Mymensingh Medical College Hospital from where he was shifted to Dhaka in a critical condition.

A case was filed with the police. BAU unit president of JCD Hasan Jafir Tuhin in a statement condemned the attack on Don and demanded immediate arrest of the attackers.





BARISAL: The three-day-long baishakhi mela organised by Shabdabali Group Theatre held here recently. Star photo

#### Delay in repairing embankment

### Crops in Chalan beel area threatened From Our Correspondent

SIRAJGANJ, Apr 22: Unusual delay in repairing the flood ravaged part of Baghabari-Nimaichhara embankment at Raotara threatens crops on a vast tract of Chalan beel area as flood waters may wash away the standing crops gushing through the eroded

It is learnt that the Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB) constructed the Baghabari-Nimaichara embankment to save crops on about 75,000 hectares of land in Shahzadpur. Ullapara, Tarash and Raiganj thanas under Sirajganj district and Bhangura Bonowarinagar, Faridpur and Chatmohor thanas under Pabna

district. Before constructing the embankment, the lands remained under flood water for about six months due to stagnancy. Every year during floods, the area went under water and waterlogging caused harm to cultivation. For saving the farmers from such inconveniences, the BWDB constructed the Baghabari-Nimaichara flood control embankment at the cost of Taka

50 crore It is alleged that following defective design and irregularities during construction period, the farmers did not get expected advantages from the embankment as the sluice

gates and regulators did not

function properly from the very beginning. On the contrary, regular erosion at different points during floods adds miseries to the farmers. Later. the BWDB has spent huge amount of money to repair the defects, but failed to make it useable. Ultimately the embankment was declared aban-

Meanwhile, during floods of 1993, about 1000 feet area of the embankment at Raotara was washed away.

Since then, the BWDB is constructing ring embankment but it is washed away every year. Due to unplanned and untimely construction of ring embankment without repairing

the main one, the board has been incurring huge financial losses. As the BWDB constructs ring embankment hurriedly every year before floods, little pressure of water washes away the ring embankment over flowing standing crops.

When contacted, a source of Sirajganj Operation and Main tenance (O&M) division of BWDB told this correspondent that a scheme for the project have been submitted to the higher authority which awaits

approval. The farmers have urged the higher authorities concerned to take immediate steps for saving crops on vast tracts of

#### One commits suicide in Sunamganj

From Our Correspondent

SYLHET. Apr 22: A young man committed suicide by takign poison at village Muktikhola Purangaon of Polash union under Biswambharpur thana of Sunamgan district on Thursday.

Sirajul Islam 26, book poison in his village home. He was rushed to the Thana Health Complex at a critical condition where he died after some

#### BKB loan for aus cultivation in Khulna div

JHENIDAH, Apr 22: Bangladesh Krishi Bank (BKB) has taken up a programme to disburse 4.21 crore taka loan in 10 districts of Khulna division for aus paddy cultivation during the ongoing season, reports UNB.

The districts are: Jhenidah Jessore, Magura, Narail. Khulna, Bagerhat, Satkhira, Kusthia, Chuadanga and Meherpur.

#### গণপ্রজাতন্ত্রী বাংলাদেশ সরকার

শিক্ষা মন্ত্রণালয় বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা

শাঃ-১৩/১-৭(গবেষণা)/৯৬/১১৪-শিক্ষা

তারিখ ঃ ১৭-০৪-৯৬ইং, ০৪-০১-১৪০৩ বাং

বিজ্ঞাপ্ত

বিষয়ঃ জাপান সরকার প্রদত্ত মনবুশো স্নাতকোত্তর গবেষণা বৃত্তি (১৯৯৭)

১৯৯৭ শিক্ষাবর্ষে জাপান সরকারের মনবুশো বৃত্তির আওতায় স্লাতকোত্তর পর্যায়ে নিম্নলিখিত বিষয়ে/শাখীয় অধ্যয়নের গেবেষণা জন্য বাংলাদেশী নাগবিকদের নিকট থেকে দরখান্ত আহবান করা যাছে ঃ **ফিসাবিজ** চিকিৎসা বিজ্ঞান সোর্জারী/মেডিসিনা প্রকৌশল (সকল শাখা) সমাজবিজ্ঞান **ल**मार्थितिमा ফলিত পদার্থবিদ্যা

প্রাণ বসায়ন 1771 ফার্মেসী বাণিজা সেকল শাখা মানবিক কলা ও বাণিজ্য শাখাব প্রার্থীদের স্লাতকোত্তর পরীক্ষা পর্যন্ত ন্যানতম তিনটি প্রথম বিভাগ এবং অন্যান্য প্রার্থীদেরকে সকল পরীক্ষায় ১ম বিভাগসহ অসাধারণ কৃতিত্বের অধিকারী হতে হবে। চিকিৎসা বিজ্ঞান ও ডেন্টিষ্টি প্রার্থীদের এমবিবিএস/বিভিএস পরীক্ষায় কমপক্ষে গড়ে ৬০% নম্বর থাকতে হবে ও নিয়মিতভাবে পাশ করতে হবে।

১.৪.৯৭ ইং তারিখে প্রার্থীর বয়স ৩৫ বৎসব্ধের নীচে থাকতে হবে অর্থাৎ যারা ২.৪.১৯৬২ ইং বা উহার পরে জন্মগ্রহণ নির্বাচিত প্রার্থীদেরকে জাপানী ভাষার নির্ধারিত কোর্সে অংশগ্রহণ করতে হবে।

সদ্য ভোলা পাসপোর্ট মাপের ১টি ছবি, সকল পরীক্ষা পাশের মূল সার্টিফিকেট ও নম্বরপত্রে সত্যায়িত অনুলিপিসহ সাদা কাপজে ইংরেজীতে নিম্নোক্ত ছকে দুই সেট আবেদনপত্র আগামী ০৯-০৫-৯৬ইং তারিখের মধ্যে পৌছাতে হবে। এসএসসি থেকে স্লাভক/স্লাভকোত্তর পর্যায়ে প্রাপ্ত নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে নিম্নোক্তভাবে ১০০ নম্বরের মধ্যে প্রার্থীদের মূল্যায়ন

করে প্রাপ্ত ক্ষোর অনুযায়ী মেধাক্রমানুসারে প্রার্থী মনোনয়ন করা হবে। নিম্নোক্ত পদ্ধতিতে 'স্কোর' হিসাব করে আবেদনপত্রের "(ছ)" কলামের শেষ ঘরে উল্লেখ করতে হবে। ক। এসএসসি পরীক্ষায় প্রাপ্ত নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে

থ। এইচএসসি পরীক্ষায় প্রাপ্ত নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে গ। স্লাভক পরীক্ষায় প্রাপ্ত নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে ঘ। স্লাতকোত্তর পরীক্ষায় প্রাপ্ত নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে

প্রকৌশল, এমবিবিএস ও বিভিএস ভিশ্রীধারীদের স্লাভকোত্তর পর্যায়ের পরিবর্তে স্লাভক পর্যায়ে প্রাপ্ত মোট নম্বরের ভিত্তিতে ৬০ নম্বরের মধ্যে মূল্যায়ন করা হবে

আবেদনপত্রের ছক নিম্নরূপ হবে ঃ ১৯৯৭ শিক্ষাবর্ষে জাপান সরকারের মনবুশো স্থাতকোত্তর বৃত্তির আবেদন। বিষয়/শাখার নাম ঃ-

ইচ্ছাকতভাবে মিথাা বিবরণ/তথা প্রদানকারীর বিরুদ্ধে দভবিধি অনুসারে ব্যবস্থা গ্রহণ করা হবে।

বর্তমান ঠিকানা (টেলিগ্রাম অফিস ও টেলিফোন নম্বসহ সকল পরীক্ষার ফলাফল

প্রাপ্ত বিভাগ ও নম্বব ৭নং অনুচ্ছে পবীক্ষাব মোট প্ৰাপ্ত মোট শতকরা হার অনুসারে শাখা/বিষয় পার বিভাগ পরীক্ষার নাম পাশের সন কোর মাধ্যমিক উচ্চ মাধ্যমিক স্থাতক (বিৰরণ দিতে হবে) ম্রাতকোত্তর বিবরণ লিতে হবে) जन्माना (विवद्य मिएक इरवा ১০০ নম্ববেব মধ্যে কোব (কোরেব যোগফল)

দীকত জার্নালে প্রকাশনার বিবরণ (যদি থাকে। প্রস্তাবিত অধায়ন/গ্রেষণার বিষয় :

श्रायी ठिकामा इ জন্তারিব এবং ১-৪-৯৭ ইং তারিখে বয়স

জাতীয়তা : প্রার্থীর পূর্ব স্থাক্ষর ও তারিখ যে সকল প্রার্থী কোন পরীক্ষায় নম্বরের পবিবর্তে গ্রেড পেয়েছেন, তালের গ্রেডকে নম্বরে রূপান্তর করে দিতে হবে এবং উহার স্পক্ষে ভিন্ন কালকুলেখন দেখাতে হবে এবং সংশ্লিষ্ট কর্তপক্ষের এতদসংক্রান্ত প্রত্যায়ন এর সত্যায়িত কপি দাখিল করতে হবে। নত্বা উহা বিবেচনায় আনা হবে না, এমবিবিএস ও বিভিএস প্রার্থীদের প্রতি পার্ট পাশের সাল ও প্রাপ্ত নম্বর

আলাদা কাগজে দেখাতে হবে একং মোট ও গড় নম্বর মূল আবেদনে উল্লেখ করতে হবে ১০। আবেদনকারীগণকে নিম্নসক্ষরকারীর কার্যালয়ের ঠিকানায় ডাক্যোগে অথবা বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়ের ৫নং গেইটে রক্ষিত ২নং কাঠের বাজে দরখান্ত দাখিল করতে হবে। এক সৈট আবেদনগত্র ভিনুভাবে অন্যান্য কাগজপত্রসহ ষ্টাপলার করে দিতে হবে এবং অপর ছকটি জেমস ক্লীপ দিয়ে এটে দিতে হবে। আবেদনপত্রের খামের উপর ''মনবুশো স্নাতকোত্তর বৃত্তি-' এবং "লাখার/বিষয়ের নাম (যেমন কৃষি/পদার্থ বিদ্যা ইত্যাদি)" উল্লেখ করতে হবে।

১১। অসম্পূর্ণ দরখান্ত বাজিল বলে গণ্য হবে।

মোঃ আকরাম হোসেন সিনিয়র সহকারী সচিব (বৃত্তি) निका प्रञ्जवानय, जरान न१-७, कफ न१-১৭०७ বাংলাদেশ সচিবালয়, ঢাকা

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Work order of this work will be issued after receipt of fund.

the tender will be summarily rejected.

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schedule, otherwise the tender will be summarily rejected.

office chamber of the undersigned on 12.5.96 at 11.30 AM.

Md. Matiar Rahman **Executive Engineer** Khulna PWD Division No I, Khulna

From Staff Correspondent irrigation to the agricultural lands are also being affected greatly in many areas of Habiganj, Sunamganj, Moulvibazar and Sylhet districts at this peak season of boro farming. The Poor and marginal farmers have been facing a serious economic hardship following

the failure of a good part of

the last aman crop and the

Combined Cycle power plant and 20 megawatt from the

Sunflower cultivation

gaining popularity

From Our Correspondent

high prices of agricultural in-According to official sources, a total of 160 megawatt power is produced in the three power generation units of PDB in the Sylhet region - fifty megawatt from the Shahjibazar power station, 90 megawatt from the Fenchugani

Kumargaon power station per

flower crop on their lands. He

said the production would be

more if the crop was not dam-

aged by hailstorm. Naoser Ali

also said that his sunflower

land which is beside the

Sripur-Magura road draws at-

tention of the passers-by ev-

eryday. A large number of

farmers are eager to cultivate

Sunflower next year, he added.

Extension Department (AED)

in Sripur thana, sunflower oil

is widely used in other coun-

tries as it contains an essential

Protein "Linolinic Acid"; it is

cholesterol free. Sunflower

usually grow in 85 to 95 days

and can be cultivated three

times a year. It even grows

during rainy season on high

land. They said that a maxi-

mum of 1000 kilograms of

mustard seeds can be pro-

duced from one hectare of

land, but at least 1,500 kilo-

grams of sunflower seeds can

Besides, sunflower plants

The sources said, the cli-

Star photo

Time Allowed

60 (Sixty) days.

mate in Magura district is very

suitable for cultivating sun-

be produced on same land.

can be is used as fuel.

flower.

According to Agriculture

said an official source.

ings of the people, especially the students immediately.

Digital phone June likely

KUSHTIA, Apr 22: A 2500telephone connection. At present, the 1300-line

Divisional Engineer Kushtia

said that new connections can be provided before June next. Besides, card phone booths opened in Kushtia town and a huge number of people are being benefitted. But only six card phones that are now functioning are inadequate to meet

advantages of the situation.

their areas.

persons snatched from police From Staff Correspondent

The police party while returning to the thana with the youths was attacked by some young men who snatched

#### JCD-BCL clash at SSC exam centre in Sirajganj SIRAJGANJ. Apr 22: At

least 15 people, including four police personnel, were injured in a clash between rival groups of JCD and BCL at a centre of SSC examination in Sadar

Another message adds: Police arrested four leaders of

iail haiat

SYLHET : Faizur Rahman Chowdhury, vice-chairman, Bangladesh Council in the UK, handed over a cheque for Taka 20,000 as donation to UCEP, Dhaka last week. Mcintosh, Deputy High Commissioner, British High - Star photo Commission, Dhaka, was also present.